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From: Carlin, Jayne

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Subject: RE: Region 10's approval of Oregon's NPS MP is a national model

Thanks Don.

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To: Curtis, Cynthia

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Subject: Region 10's approval of Oregon's NPS MP is a national model

Lynda & Cyd,

I would like to hold up as a national model the format of Region 10's approval letter and documentation. You will see that the accompanying documentation succinctly describes how the state's NPS MP meets each of the 8 Key Components, right down to referencing the page #s where the critical information can be found. The page/chapter identification is especially important in Oregon's case, given the #1 weakness that the Region identified in the MP—that it's too large and unwieldy.

Nice job, Region 9!

And of course, congratulations to Oregon for pulling this off!

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